SUPREME COURT OF MISSOURI Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

The Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners is pleased to announce the 2015 schedule for the Certified Court Reporter Examination conducted under Supreme Court Rule 14. **The Fall examination will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 17th and 18th, in Blue Springs, Missouri.** Tentative details for the Fall examination are as follows:

WRITTEN EXAM*

Date: Friday, October 16, 2015 **Time:** 6:00 p.m. – Registration

6:30 p.m. - Examination

Place: Adams Pointe Conference Center

1400 NE Coronado Dr. Blue Springs, MO 64014

816-220-4400

SKILLS EXAM*

Date: Saturday, October 17th, 2015

Time: 8:00 a.m. – Registration

8:30 a.m. - Examination

Place: Adams Pointe Conference Center

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Please find an application packet with instructions. Each applicant must complete a new application for each testing, in accordance with the instructions provided and in the format requested. <u>Properly completed applications</u>, including the required fee of \$100.00 must be **received** in the Office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court not later than **September 18th**, **2015**, for the Fall examination.

Normally, examination results are available within sixty (60) days after the examination date. All participants will receive a letter indicating a pass/fail status for each section, i.e., Part I and Part II (180, 200, 225) of the examination. No test results are available by phone.

All letters of inquiry (**must be typed**) regarding the examination should be directed to:

Clerk of the Supreme Court P.O. Box 150 207 West High Street Jefferson City, MO 65102

OR

Email: Maggie Burch@courts.mo.gov

^{*}Schedules and location are subject to change at the discretion of the Board.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION

- 1. Application must be typed.
- 2. All questions must be answered fully and completely. Attach additional sheets, as needed.
- 3. A color photo must be <u>taped</u> to the space provided in the upper right-hand corner of application (*trim photo to fit space*).
- 4. If you plan to participate in the written examination and you wish to receive a Study Guide, you must request same in the space provided on the application.
- 5. All applications must be signed and dated.
- 6. A cashiers check or money order in the amount of \$100.00 must accompany the application. <u>Personal checks are not accepted.</u>
- 7. Failure to provide accurate information in the format requested will result in rejection of the application.

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Upon acceptance of your application & fee, this office will send a letter of confirmation containing instructions regarding examination day. Please adhere to those instructions if you wish to be admitted to the examination.
- 2. If you have not received a confirmation letter ten days prior to the examination, call this Office at 573-751-7342. Do not wait until the day before the examination. Do not appear at the examination site if you have not received confirmation from this office.

EXAMINATION DAY

1. Registration

Please arrive in an orderly & timely manner. Registration is at 8 a.m. Prior to that time, staff and board members are busy with other duties and they do not have time to answer questions. Please reserve your questions until it is your turn to register. Please arrive at the registration table with your paperwork completed and in order. Have your identification ready to present.

2. Testing

The Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners administers the examination in three parts: written, dictation, and transcription. Immediately after the registration period, the Board conducts introductions and announcements, at which time you will be instructed as to time segments for the various sections of the examination, which are at the Board's discretion and which may vary from examination to examination. Do not assume that you will have time to study or practice on examination day. All applicants should arrive prepared to begin testing.

3. Prior to exiting the testing room, please check to see that you have entered your ID # in the upper-right hand corner of each page of your test papers. Enter a page number at the bottom center of each page of transcription. Each sheet of transcription should bear the following:

Speed (i.e., 180, 200, 2 ID # - upper right hand Page # - bottom center		l corner	
Example, First Page			
180, pgs. 1-4		ID#3	
	1		
Example, Second Page	:		
180, pgs. 1-4			ID#3
	2		

- 4. Staple your test pages, together and hand to the proctor prior to quietly exiting the transcription room. At the end of the testing period, you may return to collect your equipment.
- 5. MOST IMPORTANTLY, PLAN AHEAD SO THAT YOU ARRIVE RESTED AND PREPARED.